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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Before examination on the merits, please amend the above application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

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11. (Amended) The method according to claim 10, wherein said second undoped aluminum gallium arsenide layer has a thickness of about 50 nm.

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121(c)(1)(ii), Appendix A provides a marked up version of the claim containing the newly introduced change.

REMARKS

Claims 1-22 are pending. Claim 11 has been amended to correct a typographical error. Entry of this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested.

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